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TO: EE 1 a (Info EE 1 v)
FROM: 641
SUBJECT: Jaroslav ARTOS - Full MEMORANDUM
REFERENCE: 641 Memo #21 235, dated 29 March 1960

1. Additional information on Subject has been received which states that he is married to Jaroslava or Jarilla ARTOS, born 15 April 1920. ARTOS has three daughters whose names are unknown. His ability to speak German has been described as "fair". On one occasion Subject used the alias "TOSPIALL".

2. Subject was the Czech case officer for an KGB double agent for several months. The agent was paid approximately the same as GRIM, but the information provided as collateral was much more extensive and detailed than that which GRIM has been giving the Czech IS. After the first meeting, ARTOS was described as a "cold, calculating and professional intelligence officer" by the double agent involved, who was at a time sensitive. In later meetings the agent described ARTOS as not as capable as he originally had been in his opinion, but he did observe nothing worthy of mention at meetings. As nearly as can be determined, ARTOS was the same as a fairly decent person, and with the exception of one or two examples of sloppy security practices on the part of ARTOS there was nothing to compare with the manner in which GRIM had been handled. During the course of the contact between the KGB double agent and ARTOS, the latter stated that he was married and had a daughter born in 1951.

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